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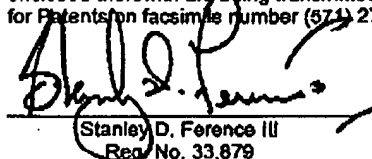
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In re Application of : Chaudhari et al.  
Serial No. : 09/931,316 Examiner : M. Lerner  
Filed : August 16, 2001 Art Unit : 2654  
For : METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR THE  
SYSTEMATIC ADAPTATION OF  
CLASSIFICATION SYSTEMS FROM SPARSE  
ADAPTATION DATA

September 14, 2005

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

I hereby certify that this correspondence and any documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being transmitted by facsimile to the Commissioner for Patents on facsimile number (571) 273-8300 on September 14, 2005.

  
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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petitions for an extension of time for a total period of two (2) months through and including September 14, 2005, to respond to the Office Action mailed on April 14, 2005. If an additional extension of time is required to insure that this paper is timely filed, please consider this a petition therefor.

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The Response for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.

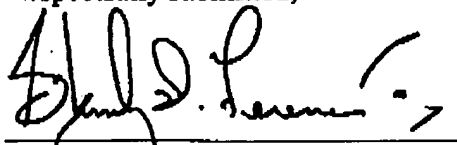
Applicant is other than a small entity and the extension fee required under 37

C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d) is calculated below:

	large entity	small entity
( ) one month	\$120	\$60
(X) two months	\$450	\$225
( ) three months	\$1,020	\$510
( ) four months	\$1,590	\$795
( ) five months	\$2,160	\$1,080

Attached hereto is a completed Credit Card Payment Form. Please charge the credit card identified thereon in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the extension of time fee for two (2) months. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to the credit card identified in the attached Credit Card Payment Form.

Respectfully submitted,



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